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Daily Weather Threat Briefing

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Day 1: Flooding continues along small streams and creeks and some main stem rivers.

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Key Points

Overview: A weather system is moving through California today and will keep much of the state cool and moderately unsettled through Monday. Impacts will be minor. Drying period begins on Tuesday and weather will remain dry through the week.

Flooding: Creeks, rivers, streams, some mainstem rivers, reservoirs and the entire water system has been significantly stressed over the past 7-8 weeks. It will take some time before waters decrease enough to no longer be of concern. Roads, hillsides, and steep grades all remain vulnerable to settling with rock and mud slides possible.



Key Hazards

Today -Monday

- A weak weather system is moving through mainly the northern half of California. Periods of valley rain and mountain snow likely with minor impacts.

Tuesday-Saturday

- Dry weather. Streams, creeks, and some mainstem rivers will continue running high. No new weather or water hazards expected at this time.



California OES Impact Threat Matrix

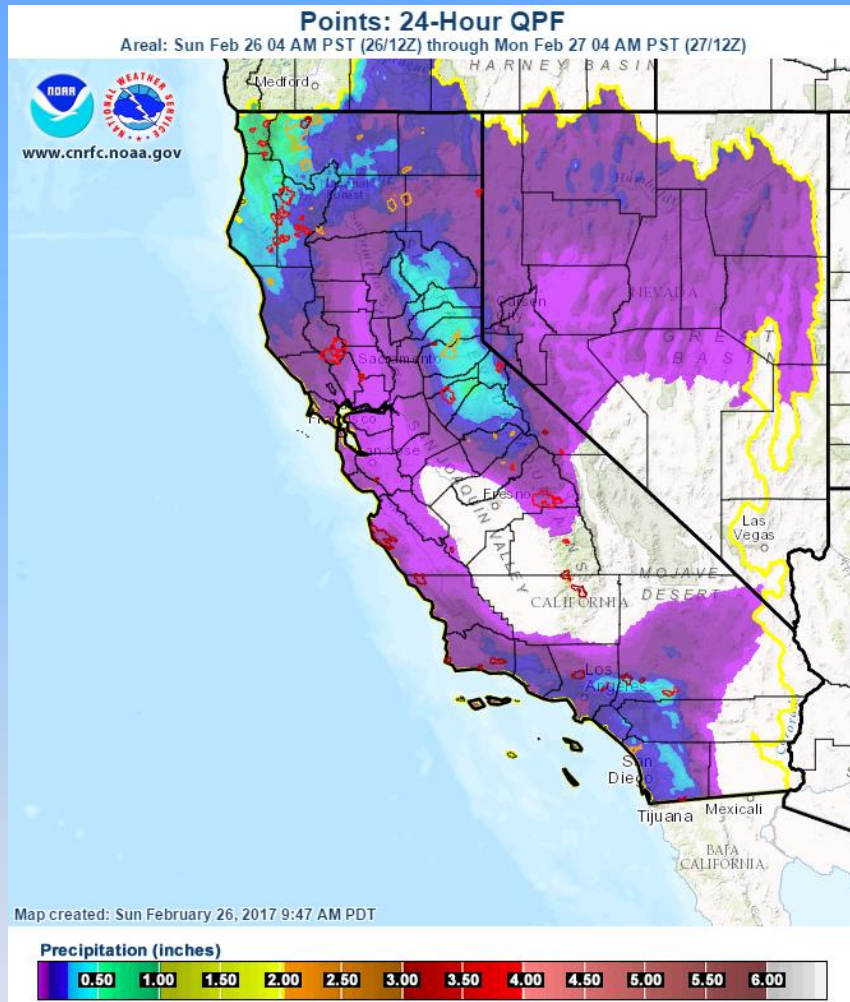
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DAY/THREAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Freezing Rain							
Winds							
Snow							
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding							
Debris Flows/Mud Slides							
River Flooding							

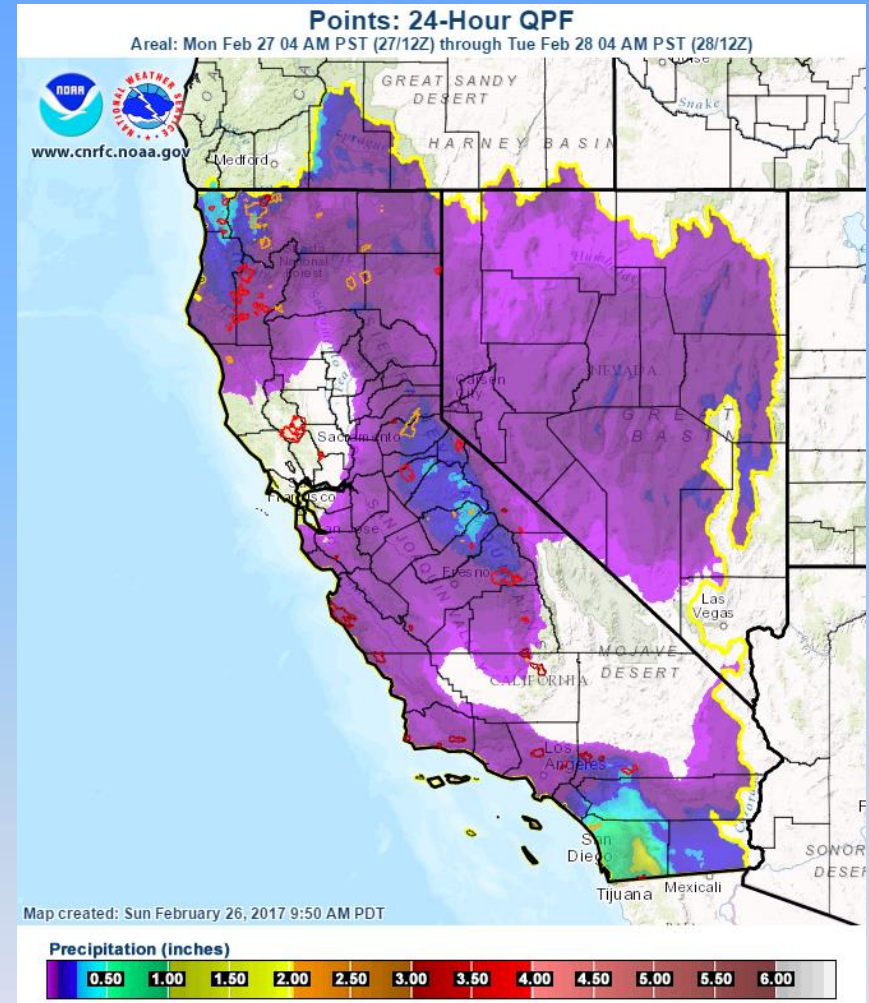
	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat
	No Discernible Threat



Days 1-2 Precipitation Forecast



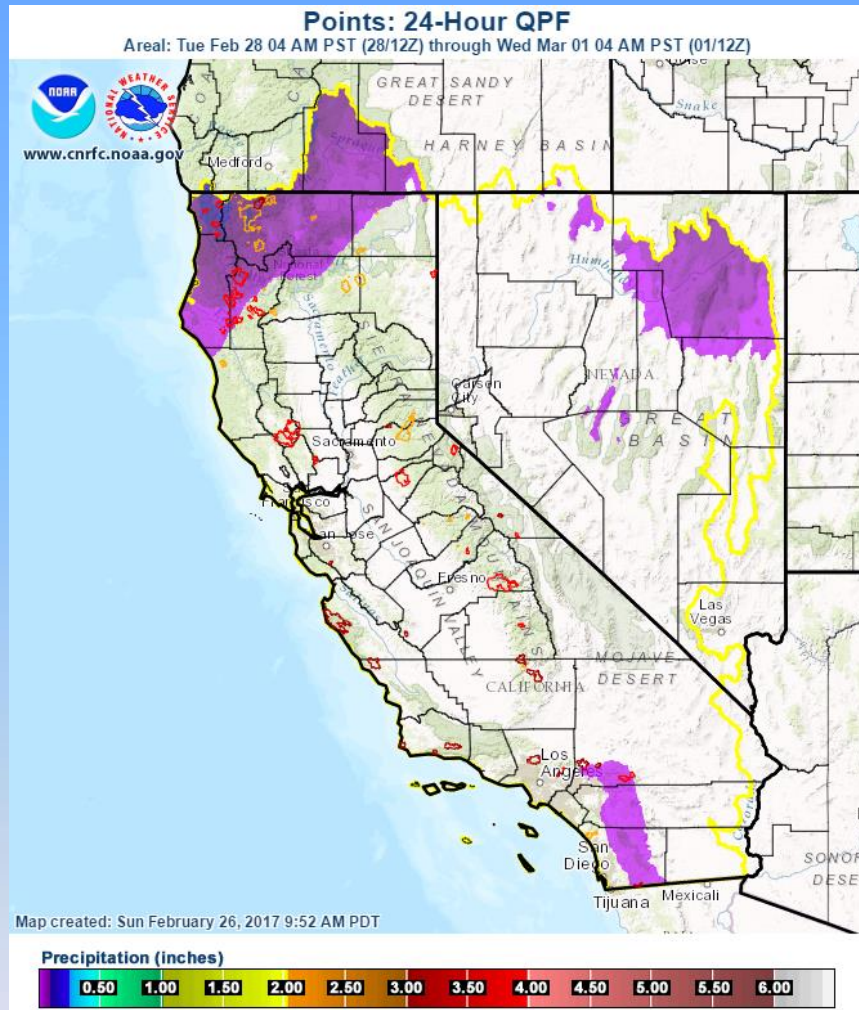
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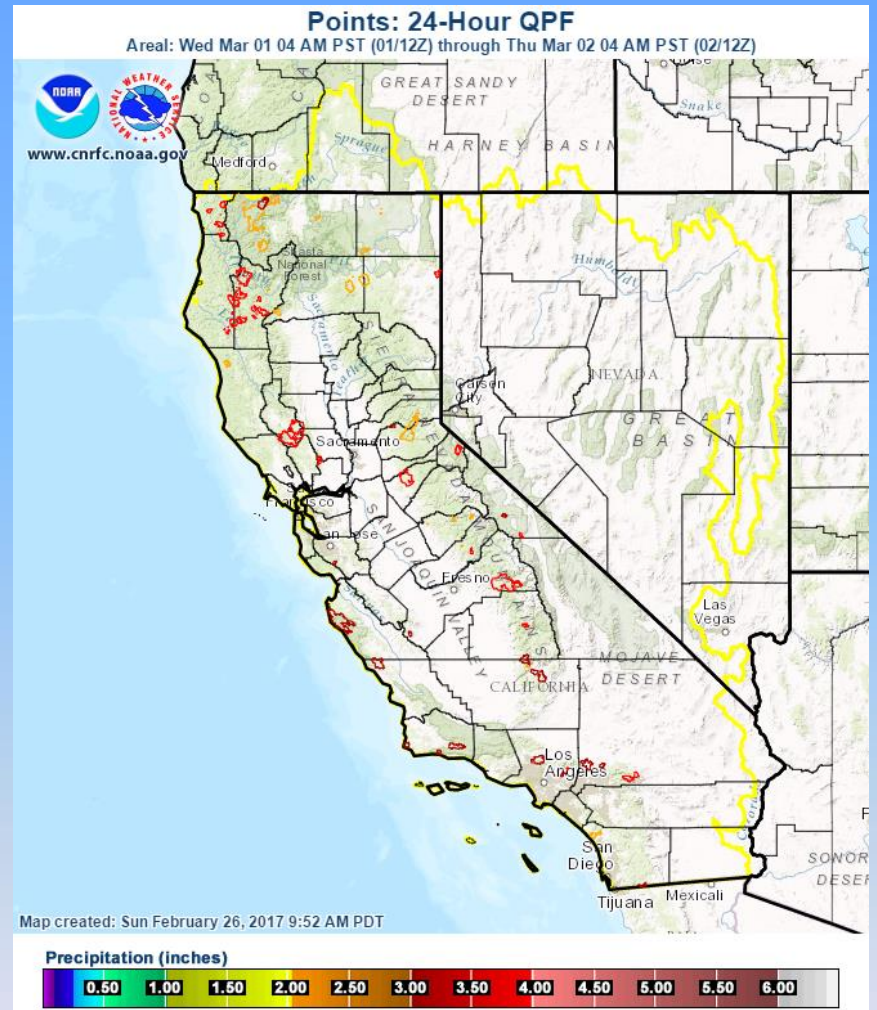
Monday



Days 3-4 Precipitation Forecast



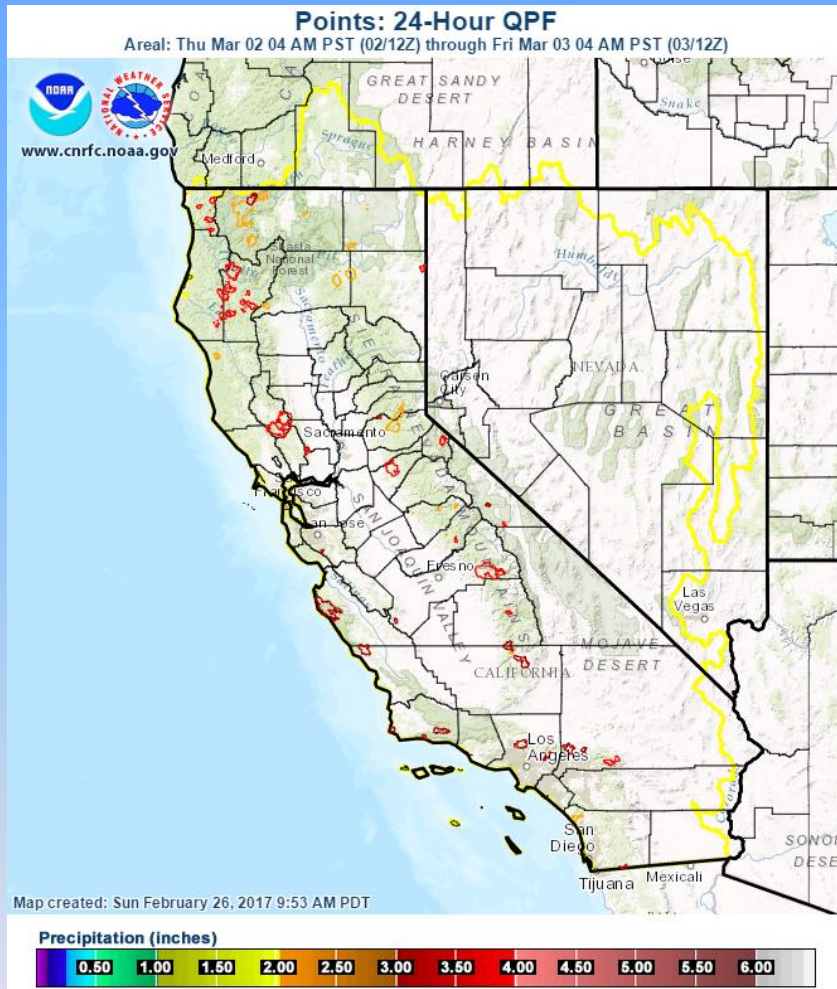
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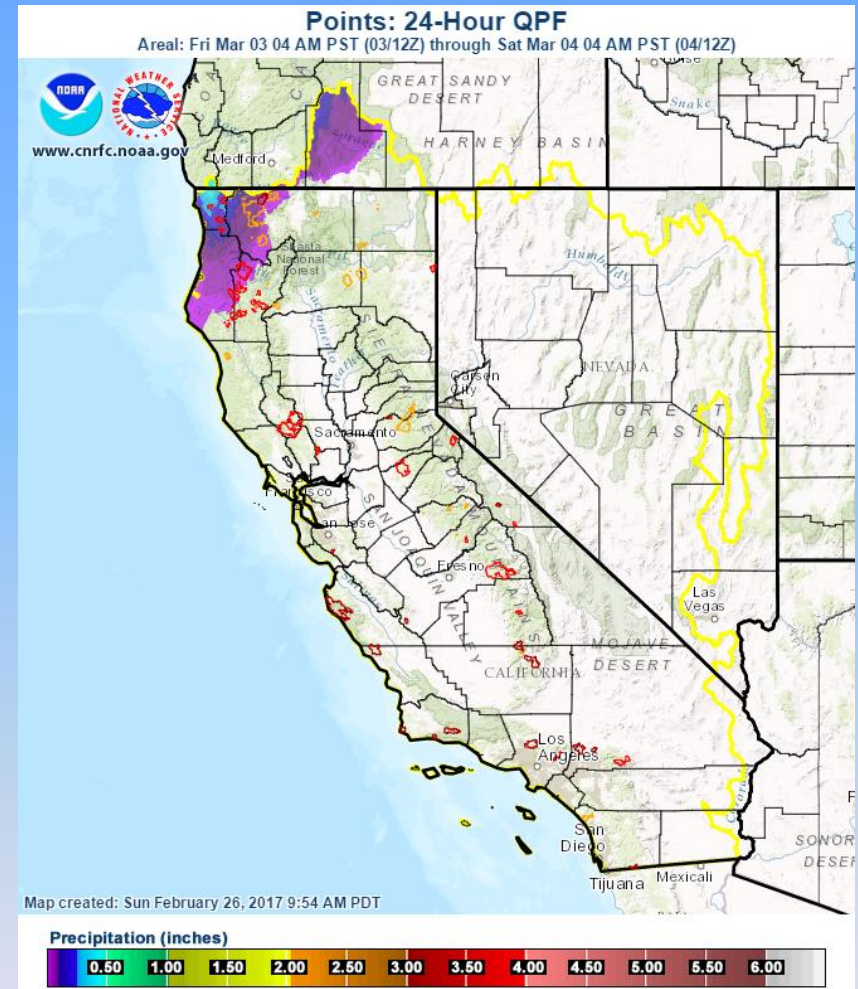
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Days 5-6 Precipitation Forecast



Thursday



Friday



6 Day Precipitation Forecast

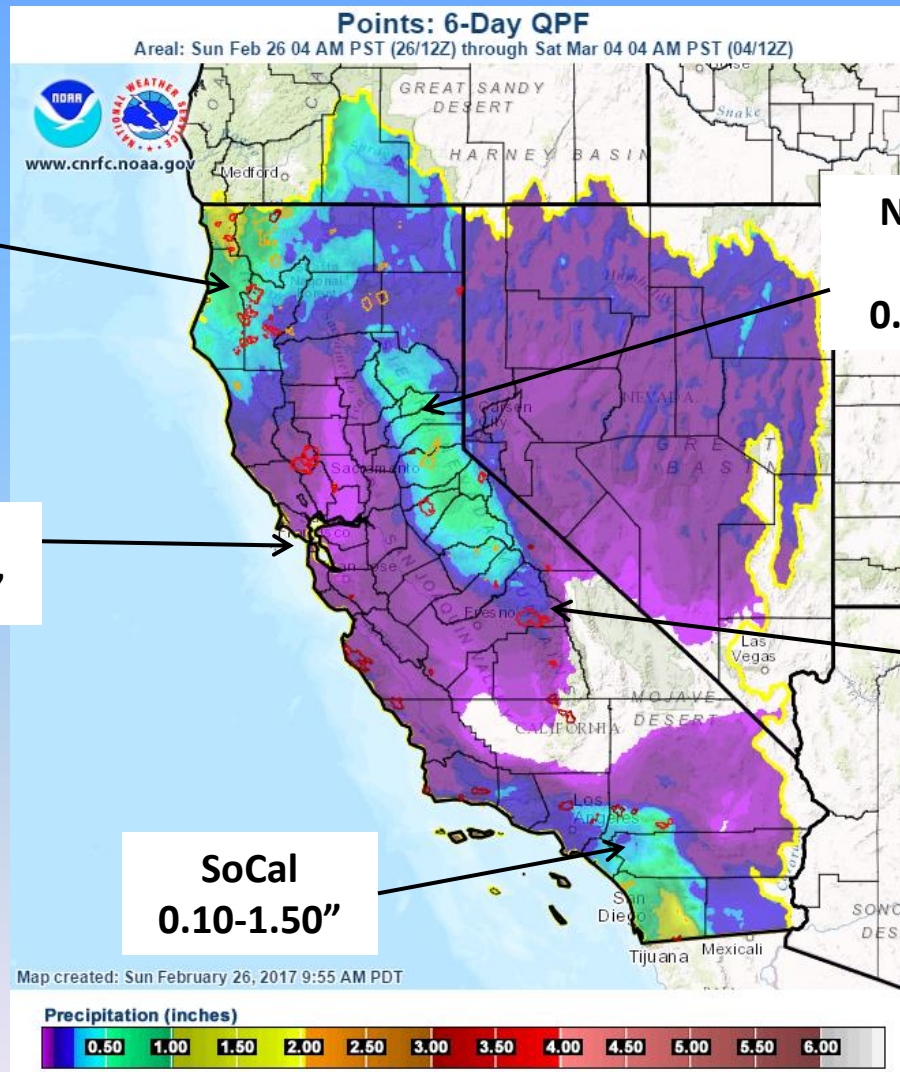
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Sierra**
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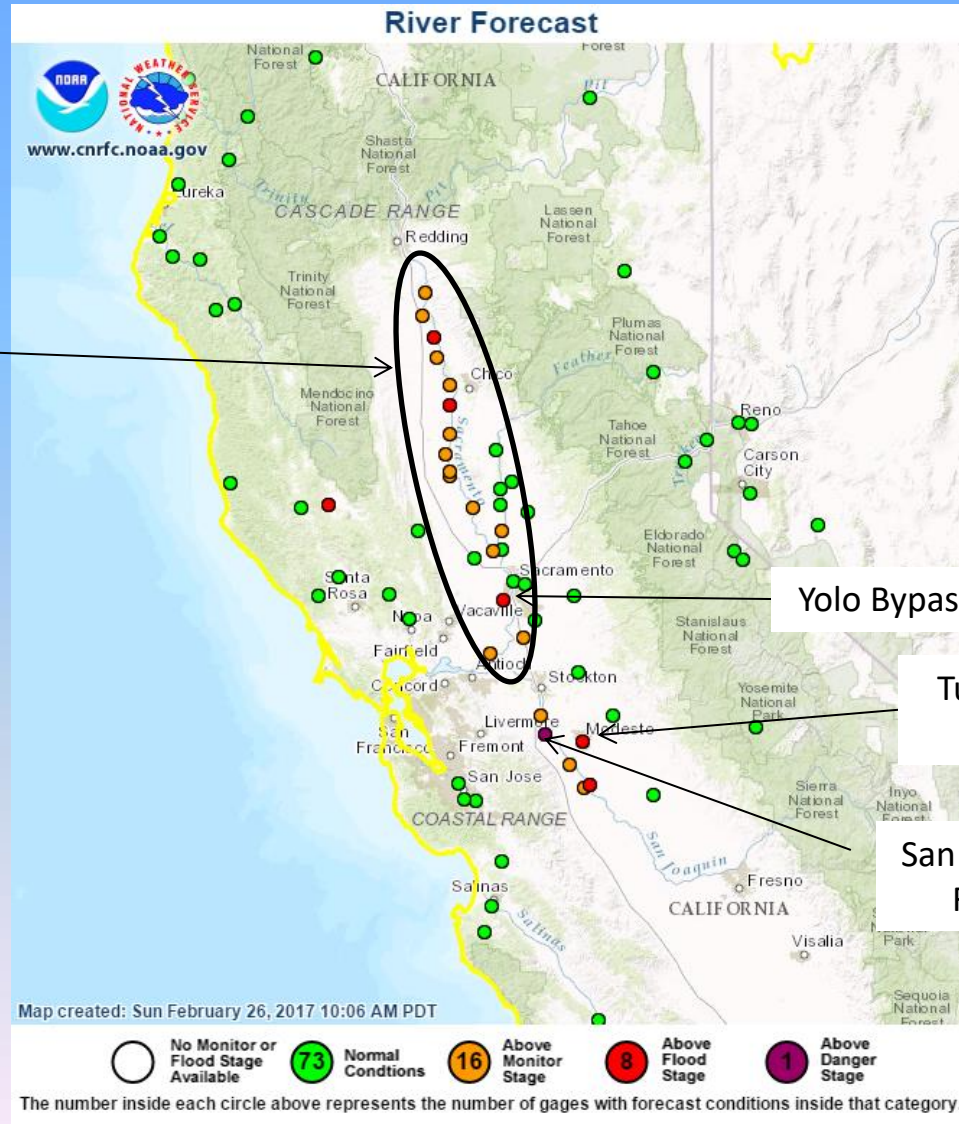
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Valid Sunday, February 26, 2017 – Friday, March 3, 2017.



River Forecasts



Sacramento
River

Yolo Bypass

Tuolumne
River

San Joaquin
River

River Forecasts

Sacramento River – Many points expected to remain in minor to moderate flood through the week. Varying impacts:

<http://water.weather.gov/ahps2/forecasts.php?wfo=sto>

Yolo Bypass – Forecast to continue at minor flood stage through the week. Numerous impacts.

Tuolumne River – Modesto – Forecast to remain in minor flood through the week.

San Joaquin River at Vernalis – Forecast to remain at Danger Stage through the week. Impacts at 26 feet include: Severe seepage occurs outside the levees

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